Nothing New Under The Sun

From a recent number of the Sartorial Art Journal the following is taken:
"No matter what new style comes to the surface in the revolution of the wheel of fashion, there is seldom to be found in it a single detail which has not been seen before. But notwith-standing this, there have recently been more practically new things developed in men's fashions than for many years. It is true that the stamp of originality It is true that the stamp of originality is not printed on any part of them, but they are not the less new styles for that. In their entirety they are distinctly different from their prototypes, and this is newness in its best sense." HENRY A TAYLOR, the Rossin Block, is very careful to note all the changes in styles, be they little or great, so that a gentleman can al-ways feel that he's consulting an authority in dress when he consults

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Mercantile Summary.

THE sale in St. John of the bankrupt dry goods stock of W. C. Pitfield & Co., took place last week by auction. Buyers were present from Montreal, Halifax, Quebec, Toronto, Fredericton, St. John. The stock was offered at so much per cent. on the appraised value of \$98,492.77. The first bid was fifty cents. Garland, of Toronto, bid 661/2, and then dropped out, and Thibaudeau Bros. & Co., of Quebec, took the whole stock at 67 per cent, which is equal to about \$66,000.

It is stated by the Boundary Creek Times, published at Greenwood, B.C., that Wm. McKenzie and Daniel Mann will float their Boundary district properties, under the name of the Dominion Copper Mines, Limited, with a capitalization of \$5,000,000. The owners of the property, including Mackenzie & Mann, will take 3,000,000 shares as their interest, and 2,000,000 have been placed in the treasury. The properties taken up are the Stemwinder, Brooklyn, Idaho, Montezuma, Rawhide and Golden Eagle.

THE parties in the Canadian Camera and Optical Company, Limited, just constituted in Ontario, capital, \$150,000, are: J. P. Clougher, T. R. Clougher, Robert Jaffray, E. R. C. Clarkson, H. C. Cox, Henry Sutherland, R. H. Warden and Dr. Aikins. Another is to be added to the soap factories of Toronto, it appears, Messrs. Wm. Ince, Jr.; Hugh Blain, F. W. Humphrey, John Irvine Davidson and Charles H. Beckett, are incorporated as the Empire Soap Co., of Toronto, Limited, capital, \$100,000. There is a limited company formed to take over the business of the Diamond Machine & Tool Company, of Toronto. Authority is given by Ontario letters patent, to the McLachlan Electric and Gasoline Motor Company, Limited, to deal in electric machinery; share capital, \$39,000; head office, Toronto; provisional directors: John C. Mc-Lachlan, Charles Millar, and Charles W. Vernon.

THE following business casualties are reported in New Brunswick: A. J. Lordly & Sons, furniture dealers of St. John, are offering a compromise of 25 per cent., spiead over six months. Liabilities are about \$7,000, of which \$1,370 are preferred, with assets of \$4,600.-McGinnis Bros., men's furnishings, who were reported as offering 30 cents several weeks ago, have now assigned. One partner previously worked in a sawmill, and the other in a 1 oot and shoe concern. Such was their preparation for business.--Samuel Black. who has been doing peddling in and about Nelson for the past several years, is reported an absentee.--D. G. Scott, who has been selling groceries at Moncton, under the style of Scott & Co., his wife being the registered owner of the business, is also reported as missing. He had recently tried to settle 50 cents, and said he had secured the money to compromise on this basis, but has since left town, and the landlord is in possesion of the stock.

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